

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 8989

Hisashi ICHIMURA et al.

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Examiner Preeti Kumar

ANIMAL FIBER SUPERIOR IN SHRINK PROOFING AND METHOD FOR PREPARATION THEREOF

REQUEST FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that action on this application be suspended for two months, i.e. until June 28, 2004.

The requisite \$130.00 PTO fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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